

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-3204

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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Appropriations Committee
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

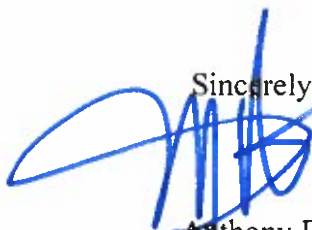
Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Village of Freeport Emergency Operations Center in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Village of Freeport, located at 46 N. Ocean Avenue, Freeport, NY 11520. The funding would be used for the expansion of the Village of Freeport Police headquarters to include a 4,000 square foot operation center. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will provide more efficient and comprehensive essential emergency services to 44,000 residents and beyond. Better coordinated local emergency response will require fewer federal resources during complex emergencies and disasters.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 614 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5196c), as amended by section 202 of the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (9/11 Act).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Anthony D'Esposito
Member of Congress